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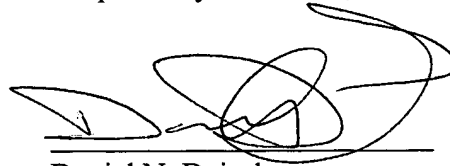
In the Claims

Please cancel, without prejudice, claims 19 and 26-29. Claims 1-18, 20-25, and 30-50 are pending in the application.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 26, 2003, Applicants hereby make the following election:

Group (a), Species I, Figures 2 and 3, claims 1-6.

Applicants reserve the right to pursue the non-elected claims in a divisional application prior to issuance of a patent on the instant application.

If any additional issues arise which the Examiner believes would be best resolved by a telephone interview, he is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the number given below.

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